

From: [Parsons, Laura](#)
To: [Kane, Cindy](#)
Cc: [Wasem, Russell](#)
Subject: RE: FIFRA
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Hi Cindy,

The best way for you to get copies of FIFRA is to print this pdf.

<http://www.epa.gov/opprd001/registrationmanual/FIFRA.pdf>

If you really want official copies, I can check to see what we can get – I'm sure that we give copies to new employees. I use a copy that I got in 1999 when I moved to the regulatory division.

I did want to follow up with you about cancellations. (I think that you are the person who asked the question about cancelled products.) This rodenticide product cancellation is the first involuntary cancellation that the program has done since 1987 when the Agency cancelled diazinon granular use on golf courses b/c of risks to birds. The diazinon cancellation took several years and the Agency won after appeal (i.e. the ALJ agreed with the Agency, the company appealed and the appellate court agreed with the Agency). It took a lot of time and money.

There are 200-300 product cancellations a year mostly from companies letting their maintenance fee payments lapse. The ones for the last few years are contained in these two dockets: www.regulations.gov:

EPA-HQ-OPP-2009-1017 (30 day comment period)

EPA-HQ-OPP-2010-0014 (180 day comment period)

Most of these cancellations have no effect on the market. They are rarely the last product containing the active ingredient and often they are not being produced. I don't know any way that these cancellations are tracked, but I have asked a couple of colleagues who are checking to see if there is a list.

Hope that this is helpful information. The rodenticide cancellation page on our website has a lot of information about the FIFRA and the cancellation process.

Rusty Wasem and I are glad to answer questions.

Best,
Laura

From: Kane, Cindy [mailto:cindy_kane@fws.gov]
Sent: Friday, July 26, 2013 12:03 PM
To: Parsons, Laura
Subject: FIFRA

Hi Laura,

I was on the Thursday conference call / join me mtg w the Nat'l Park Service staff regarding rodenticides. It was an informative session. Thank you.

August 5-7 I am teaching sessions in an Invasive Species Mgmt class at the Fish and Wildlife Service's National Conservation Training Center. I would very much like to have a few copies of FIFRA on a reference table in the class room. Is there some way I could get 5-10 copies of the FIFRA booklet from you or someone else at EPA? I'd be glad to stop by to pick them up. We also have a Pesticide Effects to Fish and Wildlife Resources class in September, it would be useful to have the booklets for that class, too, just as reference materials.

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